

ORDINANCE NO. 2007-13-S

**AN ORDINANCE BY THE COMMUNITY EVENTS, BEAUTIFICATION AND
CULTURAL COMMITTEE TO AMEND SECTION 9.18
OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE VILLAGE OF STURTEVANT,
RACINE COUNTY, WISCONSIN,
RELATING TO PARK REGULATIONS**

The Village Board of the Village of Sturtevant, Racine County, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

1. That Section 9.18 of the Municipal Code of the Village of Sturtevant be, and hereby is, amended to read as follows:

9.18 VILLAGE PARKS

- (1) Village parks shall be closed to all persons between 10 pm and 6 am on the following day, with the exception of supervised activities such as ball games or special events.
- (2) No person may destroy, molest, deface, remove or attempt to remove any natural growth or natural or archaeological feature from Village parks.
- (3) No person may deface or damage park equipment, facilities or buildings.
- (4) No person may dispose of any debris, waste or recyclable material except by placing the material in receptacles provided for those purposes.
- (5) No person may dispose of any waste or recyclable materials in any waste or recyclable receptacles or at any location if the waste or recyclable material is generated from a permanent or seasonal residence or a business or other commercial operation.
- (6) No person may destroy, molest, possess without permission, attempt to remove or remove the property of others.
- (7) No fireworks or fire arms are allowed in any Village park (see also Sec. 9.21 Code of Ordinances).
- (8) No person shall have in his possession or consume intoxicating beverages while in any of the Village parks except that beer and wine may be sold and consumed at Village parks for approved Village sponsored events in designated areas under the following conditions:
 - a. The event must be conducted by a not for profit organization;
 - b. A picnic permit must be obtained from the Clerk/Treasurer and approved by the Village Board;
 - c. A licensed bartender and appropriate security is on the premises at all times;
 - d. The only alcoholic beverages allowed are beer and wine;
 - e. Only beer and wine sold or served by the licensee shall be permitted.

- (9) No dogs, cats or other pets are allowed in any Village park with the exception of those parks and park areas specifically designated or marked as dog walk areas. Service dogs are exempt from this rule:
 - a. No dog, cat or other pet is allowed in any park building;
 - b. No person may allow his or her dog, cat or other pet to interfere in any manner with the enjoyment of the area by others;
 - c. Persons bringing or allowing pets in designated use areas shall be responsible for proper removal and disposal in sanitary facilities of any waste produced by these animals.
- (10) No unauthorized motorized vehicles are allowed in any Village park.
- (11) No person may operate or park any vehicle as defined in s.340.01(74), Stats, which is required to be registered by law on park land except:
 - a. In posted parking areas;
 - b. As otherwise specifically authorized by law or Ordinance.
- (12) Bicycle riding is allowed only in designated areas or on designated paths.
- (13) No person may ride a bicycle in a careless, negligent or reckless manner so as to endanger the life, property or persons of others on any Village park land.
- (14) No horses are allowed in any Village park.
- (15) Skateboarding is allowed only in designated or marked areas on park land.
- (16) No person may start, tend or maintain any fire on the ground or to burn any refuse in any Village park.
- (17) No persons may engage in climbing activities, including the attachment of climbing anchors on buildings, towers and other similar structures in any Village park.
- (18) No person may construct, place, occupy or use structures or store personal property on Village park land.

2. That this ordinance shall take effect immediately, upon adoption and publication as provided by law.

Adopted by the Village Board of the Village of Sturtevant, Racine County, Wisconsin, this 2nd day of October, 2007.

VILLAGE OF STURTEVANT

By: _____
Steve Jansen, President

Attest: _____
Mary Hanstad, Clerk/Deputy Treasurer

